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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

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Mr. PRITCHARD, from the Committee on Pensions, submitted the following

**REPORT:**

[To accompany H. R. 2947.]

The Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 2947) increasing the pension of Daniel D. Jennings, have examined the same, and report:

The report of the Committee on Invalid Pensions of the House of Representatives hereto appended is adopted, and the passage of the bill is recommended.

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**HOUSE REPORT.**

The beneficiary in this bill, Daniel D. Jennings, was a private in Company C, Sixty-fifth Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry. He is between 48 and 49 years of age. He was enlisted the 30th day of March, 1864, to serve three years, or during the war, and was mustered out November 30, 1865, by reason of general order. He is now drawing a pension at the rate of \$12 per month under act of June 27, 1890. The undisputed evidence in the case shows that he was afflicted with rheumatism at intervals during his service and since that time.

For the past five years he has been constantly afflicted with rheumatism and heart disease and is unable to perform manual labor, being confined to his bed at least half of the time, requiring an attendant. His record as a soldier was honorable. He is now in poverty, depending in a great measure on charity; possesses good character, and his application is supported by many reputable neighbors. There is apparently no hope of his recovery, and in all probability will live but a year or two at most.

Your committee report the bill back to the House with the recommendation that it do pass.